IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Ronald E. SLOAN et al.) Group Art Unit: 3694
Application No.: 09/704,838)) Examiner: K.S. Apple
Filed: November 1, 2000) Confirmation No.: 4308
For: A USER INTERFACE FOR A FINANCIAL MODELING SYSTEM)))
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Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant petitions for a one month extension of time to file a reply to the Final Office Action of October 30, 2008. Because Applicant's after-final response was filed on December 30, 2008, within two months of the mailing of the Final Office Action, Applicant believes only a one-month extension is required. As explained in MPEP 706.07(f), extensions are calculated from the mailing date of the Advisory Action. In this case, the Advisory Action was mailed on February 17, 2009. Applicant believes the Examiner most likely inadvertently checked box 1(a) instead of 1(b) on the Advisory Action. To cover the one-month extension, a fee of \$130.00 is enclosed.

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Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

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Respectfully submitted,

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